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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re:           Application of Ronald Vogels, Abraham Bout, Helmuth Van Es, Govert Schouten, and Luc Van Rompaey  
Application No. 10/074,668  
Filed February 13, 2002

**ADENOVIRAL LIBRARY ASSAY FOR ADIPOGENESIS GENES AND  
METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR SCREENING COMPOUNDS**

(Atty. Docket No. 25,290-B USA)

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

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Sir:

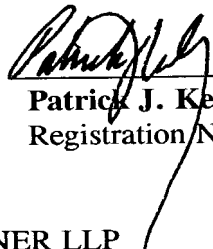
**REPLY TO NOTICE OF MAY 1, 2002  
TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application-Filing Date Granted", dated **May 1, 2002**, enclosed herewith for filing are the following documents:

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- (A) An originally executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, signed by the inventors;
  - (B) substitute drawings in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.84; and
  - (C) a copy of the Notice to file Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application.
- (XX) A check in the amount of \$130 is attached to cover the surcharge.
- (XX) Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-5425.
- (XX) A copy of this Reply is enclosed.



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

**Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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The item(s) indicated below are also required and should be submitted with any reply to this notice to avoid further processing delays.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity

- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

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